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Recommendation for Council Action

Austin City Council	Item ID	15898	Agenda Number	10.
Meeting Date:	8/2/2012		Department:	Austin Water Utility
Subject				
Approve a resolution adopting the Wholesale Water Supplier Water Conservation Plan. Related to Items # 11 and 12.				
Amount and Source of Funding				
There is no unanticipated fiscal impact.				
Fiscal Note				
A fiscal note is not required				
Purchasing Language:				
Prior Council Action:	September 24, 2009, Council adopted 2009 Water Conservation Plan (Resolution No. 20090924-007). April 28, 2005, Council adopted 2005 Water Conversation Plan (Resolution No. 20050428-11). August 26, 1999, Council adopted 1999 Water Conservation Plan, (Resolution No. 990826-65)			
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Boards and Commission Action:	Recommended by the Water and Wastewater Commission and the Resource Management Commission.			
MBE / WBE:				
Related Items:				
Additional Backup Information				

Rules of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, contained in Title 30 Texas Administrative Code, Chapter 288, require retail and wholesale water providers to develop water conservation plans and to update those plans as appropriate. The Utility Profile is a component of both retail and wholesale plans. The adoption of the Wholesale Water Supplier Water Conservation Plan with the Revised 2009 Utility Profile requires a corresponding update to the previously adopted 2009 Retail Municipal Water Conservation Plan and would fulfill TCEQ requirements under 30 TAC §288.2 and §288.5 and 288.30.

The Wholesale Water Supplier Water Conservation Plan includes wholesale service area and population information, conservation goals for the wholesale service area, and the requirement that every water supply contract entered into or renewed after the adoption of the water conservation plan, including contract extensions, provide that successive wholesale customers develop and implement water conservation and drought contingency plans consistent with Chapter 288.